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Applicant: Hiroyuki FUMIOKA
Title: SOCKET FOR DIALYZER
Appl. No.: 10/070,916
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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated February 17, 2004, finally rejecting Claims 1-6 and 9.

- [X] Applicant claims small entity status.
[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:
- [X] Notice of Appeal Fee
[X] To be paid as detailed below
[] Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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The required fees are calculated below:

[X]	Notice of Appeal Fee	\$330.00
[X]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$950.00
[]	Extension:	\$0.00
	FEE TOTAL:	\$1280.00
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$640.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$640.00

- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$640.00 . A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$640.00 (\$165 Notice of Appeal Fee and \$475 – 3-month EOT – small entity status) is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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